

Icon

The <aava-icon> component provides a comprehensive icon system built on top of Lucide icons, offering scalable vector graphics with extensive customization options, interaction support, and full accessibility compliance. It supports dynamic sizing, theming, interactive states, and seamless integration into any Angular application.

How to use

Basic Usage

Simple icon implementation using Lucide icon names with default styling.

```
import { AavaIconComponent } from "@aava/play-core";
```

Sizes

Flexible sizing options supporting both numeric pixel values and string-based sizing for responsive design.

```
<!-- Basic Icon Usage - Angular Example -->

<aava-icon iconName="home"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="user"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="heart"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="star"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="settings"></aava-icon>
```

Size Options

- Numeric values - Direct pixel sizing (e.g., 16 , 24 , 32)
- String values - CSS-compatible units (e.g., '1rem' , '2em' , '100%')
- Responsive sizing - Use CSS custom properties for adaptive scaling

Colors

Comprehensive color customization with theme integration and semantic color support.

```
<!-- Icon Sizes - Angular Example -->

<aava-icon iconName="star" iconSize="16"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="star" iconSize="24"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="star" iconSize="32"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="star" iconSize="48"></aava-icon>

<!-- String-based sizing -->

<aava-icon iconName="heart" iconSize="1rem"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="heart" iconSize="1.5rem"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="heart" iconSize="2rem"></aava-icon>
```

Color System

- Custom colors - Direct hex, RGB, HSL, or named color values
- CSS custom properties - Theme-aware color tokens
- Semantic colors - Contextual colors based on component state
- Disabled state - Automatic color adaptation for disabled icons

Accessibility

Built-in accessibility features ensuring inclusive user experience and WCAG compliance.

```
<!-- Icon Colors - Angular Example -->

<aava-icon iconName="palette" iconColor="#ff6b6b"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="palette" iconColor="#4ecdc4"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="palette" iconColor="#45b7d1"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="palette" iconColor="#96ceb4"></aava-icon>
<aava-icon iconName="palette" iconColor="#ffeaa7"></aava-icon>
```

Accessibility Features

- Semantic HTML - Proper button element for interactive icons
- ARIA compliance - Appropriate ARIA attributes and roles
- Keyboard navigation - Full keyboard support for interactive icons
- Screen reader support - Meaningful descriptions and labels
- Focus management - Clear focus indicators and proper focus order
- High contrast - Support for high contrast accessibility modes

API Reference

Inputs

| Property | Type | Default | Description |
|------------|-----------------|-----------|--|
| iconName | string | " | Lucide icon name to display |
| color | string | " | Custom color override (deprecated, use iconColor) |
| disabled | boolean | false | Whether the icon is disabled |
| iconColor | string | '#a1a1a1' | Icon color using hex, RGB, HSL, or CSS custom properties |
| iconSize | number string | 24 | Icon size in pixels (number) or CSS units (string) |
| cursor | boolean | false | Whether to show pointer cursor and enable interactions |
| hoverColor | string | 'none' | Color applied on hover |

Outputs

| Event | Type | Description |
|-----------|---------------------|--|
| userClick | EventEmitter<Event> | Emitted when interactive icon is clicked |

Properties

| Property | Type | Description |
|---------------|--------|---------------------------------------|
| computedColor | string | Calculated color value based on state |

| Property | Type | Description |
|---------------|---------|--|
| isInteractive | boolean | Whether icon accepts user interactions |
| isDisabled | boolean | Current disabled state |

Methods

| Method | Parameters | Description |
|---------------|--------------|--|
| handleClick() | event: Event | Process click events for interactive icons |

CSS Custom Properties

| Property | Description |
|------------------------------|---|
| --button-icon-color-disabled | Color used for disabled icon state |
| --icon-transition | Transition animation for state changes |
| --icon-hover-color | Color used on hover for interactive icons |
| --icon-focus-outline | Focus outline styling for accessibility |
| --icon-focus-outline-offset | Focus outline offset for clear visibility |

Host Styling

The component applies the following host styles automatically:

Lucide Icon Integration

The component leverages Lucide icons, providing access to over 1,000 high-quality SVG icons.

Icon Library

- Comprehensive collection - 1,000+ carefully designed icons
- Consistent design - Uniform stroke width and styling
- Scalable vectors - Crisp appearance at any size

- Regular updates - Actively maintained icon library
- Tree-shakable - Only used icons are bundled

Icon Naming

Icons use kebab-case naming convention from the Lucide library:

Best Practices

Design Guidelines

- Choose appropriate sizes - Use consistent sizing across similar interface elements
- Maintain visual hierarchy - Larger icons for primary actions, smaller for secondary
- Use semantic colors - Colors should convey meaning and match design system
- Consider context - Icon choice should clearly communicate its purpose
- Consistent spacing - Maintain proper spacing around icons in layouts

Accessibility

- Provide meaningful context - Use proper ARIA labels for screen readers
- Interactive indication - Clearly distinguish interactive vs decorative icons
- Keyboard navigation - Ensure all interactive icons are keyboard accessible
- Focus indicators - Maintain clear focus states for navigation
- Color contrast - Ensure sufficient contrast for all color combinations

Performance

- Icon optimization - Lucide icons are automatically optimized SVGs
- Bundle efficiency - Tree-shaking ensures only used icons are bundled
- Avoid excessive sizing - Use reasonable icon sizes to maintain performance
- Minimize color changes - Frequent color updates can impact performance

Integration

- Theme consistency - Use CSS custom properties for consistent theming
- Component composition - Icons work well within buttons, forms, and navigation
- Event handling - Properly handle click events for interactive use cases
- State management - Consider disabled states in your application logic